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In re Application of: **Brid Burruano et al.**)
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For: **Mucus Formulation for Mucosal Surfaces and Uses**)
 Thereof)

PETITION FOR PAYMENT OF FEE DEFICIENCY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c)

This is a Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c) for payment of a fee deficiency in the above-identified application because this application does not qualify for small entity status. The Commissioner is hereby authorized in the accompanying transmittal form to charge **\$500.00** to Deposit Account 50-0310 for payment of the difference in the application filing fee submitted on March 11, 2005.

The payment of the deficiency fee, based on previous erroneous payments of small entity fees, and submitted herewith under paragraph (c), serves under § 1.28(d) as notification of loss of entitlement to small entity status (37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2)).

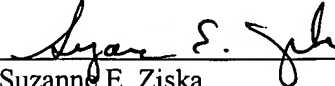
The deficiency fee has been itemized as follows:

Fee Type	Small Entity Amount Paid Date Paid	Current Fee Amount For Large Entity	Deficiency
National Stage Basic Fee	\$150.00/March 11, 2005	\$300.00	\$150.00
Search Fee	\$250.00/March 11, 2005	\$500.00	\$250.00
Examination Fee	\$100.00/March 11, 2005	\$200.00	\$100.00
Total Deficiency			\$500.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required with the filing of this petition, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and § 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-310.

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